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AMENDMENT TO THE CLAIMS

1 - 20. (Cancelled)

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21. (Currently amended) A fabric product, said fabric product comprising:

- (a) a fabric comprising a plurality of yarns into which a flame retardant chemical has been incorporated, to which said fabric has been applied a single layer of
- (b) a polymer finish, said polymer finish ~~comprising~~ consisting of a combination of a first urethane polymer having an elongation at break of at least 500% and a second urethane polymer having an elongation at break of less than 500%, wherein the ratio of said first urethane polymer to said second urethane polymer is between about 20:1 and about 5:1 on a solids basis,

and wherein said polymer finish imparts a stiff hand to said fabric product, said hand measuring at least 900 grams in the longitudinal direction and at least 400 grams in the lateral direction, when evaluated using ASTM D6828-02.

22. (Original) The fabric product of Claim 21, wherein said fabric has a knit construction.

23. (Original) The fabric product of Claim 21, wherein said fabric has a woven construction.

24. (Original) The fabric product of Claim 21, wherein said fabric has a nonwoven construction.

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25. (Original) The fabric product of Claim 21, wherein said flame retardant chemical contains a chlorinated phosphate ester.
26. (Original) The fabric product of Claim 21, wherein said polymer finish is transparent.
27. (Original) The fabric product of Claim 21, wherein the dry add-on level of said polymer finish is between about 2% and about 15%.
28. (Currently amended) The fabric product of ~~Claim 24~~ Claim 27, wherein said dry add-on level of said polymer finish is between about 2.5% and about 5%.
29. (Previously presented) The fabric product of Claim 21, wherein said first urethane polymer and said second urethane polymer are selected from the group consisting of aliphatic polyester polyurethanes, aliphatic polyether polyurethanes, and aliphatic polycarbonate polyurethanes.
30. (Previously presented) The fabric product of Claim 29, wherein said first urethane polymer and said second urethane polymer are aliphatic polyester polyurethanes.
31. (Original) The fabric product of Claim 21, wherein said fabric product passes the NFPA Small Scale 701 Vertical Flame Test (1989).
32. (Cancelled)